

THE SOUTH ATLANTIC CONFERENCE

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2009-10 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL REPORT - WEEK 2

2009-10 SOUTH ATLANTIC CONFERENCE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STANDINGS (Through games played on Sunday, November 29)

TEAM	SAC	PCT	ALL	PCT	H	A	N	ST
Carson-Newman	0-0	.000	6-0	1.000	4-0	1-0	1-0	W6
Newberry	0-0	.000	4-1	.800	2-0	2-0	0-1	W2
Wingate	0-0	.000	4-1	.800	0-0	4-1	0-0	W2
Lenoir-Rhyne	0-0	.000	3-1	.750	1-0	0-1	2-0	W3
Tusculum	0-0	.000	2-1	.667	1-0	1-0	0-1	L1
Catawba	0-0	.000	3-2	.600	2-1	1-1	0-0	W1
Lincoln Memorial	0-0	.000	2-2	.500	2-1	0-1	0-0	W1
Brevard	0-0	.000	2-3	.400	1-0	0-2	1-1	W1
Mars Hill	0-0	.000	2-3	.400	2-1	0-2	0-0	L1

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Tuesday, November 24

Wingate 96, Sacred Heart 29
Tennessee Wesleyan 79, Brevard 74 (OT)
Lenoir-Rhyne 59, USC Aiken 57
Mars Hill 73, King (Tenn.) 54
Southern Indiana 86, Lincoln Memorial Univ. 78

Wednesday, November 25

Catawba 101, Livingstone 74
Newberry 64, Armstrong Atlantic St. 61

Friday, November 27

Wingate 83, American of Puerto Rico 53
Carson-Newman 71, Georgia College & State 60
Lander 77, Catawba 68
Tusculum 82, Columbus St. 81

Saturday, November 28

Newberry 96, Morris 49
Brevard 73, Limestone 69 (OT)
Georgia College & State Univ. 78, Tusculum 63
Lincoln Memorial Univ. 80, Mount Olive 52
Carson-Newman 68, Columbus St. 64

Sunday, November 29

Catawba 59, Barton 58
Voorhees 67, Mars Hill 63

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, November 30

King (Tenn.) at Brevard, 6 p.m.
Wingate at USC Aiken, 6 p.m.
Converse at Mars Hill, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, December 1

Voorhees at Newberry, 6 p.m.

Wednesday, December 2

CATAWBA AT LENOIR-RHYNE, 6 p.m.
Lincoln Memorial Univ. at Urbana, 6 p.m.
Carson-Newman at Maryville (Tenn.), 6 p.m.

Thursday, December 3

Truett-McConnell at Brevard, 6 p.m.

Friday, December 4

NEWBERRY AT WINGATE, 6 p.m.

Saturday, December 5

TUSCULUM AT BREVARD, 2 p.m.
Livingstone at Catawba, 2 p.m.
Georgia College & State at Lenoir-Rhyne, 6 p.m.
Mars Hill at King (Tenn.), 6 p.m.
CARSON-NEWMAN AT LINCOLN MEMORIAL, 6 p.m.



Carson-Newman's Mandy Mendenhall named SAC Player of the Week



ROCK HILL, S.C. — Carson-Newman College's Mandy Mendenhall has been named the South Atlantic Conference women's basketball Player of the Week, for the week ending November 29, 2009.

Mendenhall, a junior guard from Kingston Springs, Tenn. (Harpeth Hall HS) averaged 20.5 points, 4.5 rebounds, and five assists as the Carson-Newman Lady Eagles improved to 6-0 on the season with two wins at the Columbus State Thanksgiving Tournament, beating CSU 68-64, and Georgia College and State, 71-60.

She shot 51.5 percent from the floor and was perfect from the line in six attempts as the Lady Eagles grabbed two key regional wins.

Her defense was equally impressive. She led the Lady Eagles with eight steals in the two games. She also had two blocked shots.

2009-10 SAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

DATE	PLAYER	POS	SCHOOL
11/23	Shari Buford	F	Carson-Newman
11/30	Mandy Mendenhall	G	Carson-Newman



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2009-10 SAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL RESULTS

BREVARD (0-0 SAC, 2-3)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 16	at Erskine	L, 73-78
Nov. 20	vs. King (at Jefferson City, TN)	L, 67-73
Nov. 21	vs. Converse (at Jefferson City, TN)	W, 87-74
Nov. 24	at Tennessee Wesleyan	L, 74-79 (OT)
Nov. 28	Limestone	W, 73-69 (OT)
Nov. 30	King	5 pm
Dec. 3	Truett-McConnell	6 pm
Dec. 5	Tusculum	2 pm
Dec. 17	Belmont Abbey	6 pm
Dec. 18	St. Andrews	6 pm
Jan. 2	at Mars Hill	2 pm
Jan. 6	Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Jan. 9	at Lincoln Memorial	2 pm
Jan. 11	at Truett-McConnell	6 pm
Jan. 13	at Catawba	6 pm
Jan. 16	at Wingate	2 pm
Jan. 20	Carson-Newman	6 pm
Jan. 25	at North Greenville	6 pm
Jan. 27	at Newberry	6 pm
Jan. 30	Mars Hill	2 pm
Feb. 3	at Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Feb. 6	Lincoln Memorial	2 pm
Feb. 13	Wingate	2 pm
Feb. 17	at Carson-Newman	6 pm
Feb. 20	at Tusculum	2 pm
Feb. 24	Newberry	6 pm
Feb. 27	Catawba	2 pm
Mar. 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

SAC games in ALL CAPS

CARSON-NEWMAN (0-0 SAC, 6-0)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 15	Anderson	W, 68-57
Nov. 18	Augusta State	W, 100-64
Nov. 20	Converse	W, 95-59
Nov. 21	King	W, 82-49
Nov. 27	vs. Georgia College (at Columbus, Ga.)	W, 71-60
Nov. 28	at Columbus State	W, 68-64
Dec. 2	at Maryville	6 pm
Dec. 5	at Lincoln Memorial	6 pm
Dec. 12	at Clayton State	1:30 pm
Dec. 19	at USC Aiken	1:30 pm
Dec. 30	at Augusta State	2 pm
Jan. 2	Newberry	2 pm
Jan. 9	at Mars Hill	2 pm
Jan. 13	Wingate	6 pm
Jan. 16	at Tusculum	2 pm
Jan. 20	at BREVARD	6 pm
Jan. 23	Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Jan. 27	Catawba	6 pm
Jan. 30	at Newberry	2 pm
Feb. 3	at King	5 pm
Feb. 6	Mars Hill	6 pm
Feb. 10	at Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Feb. 13	Tusculum	6 pm
Feb. 17	BREVARD	6 pm
Feb. 20	Lincoln Memorial	2 pm
Feb. 24	at Catawba	6 pm
Feb. 27	at Wingate	2 pm
Mar. 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
Mar. 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

SAC games in ALL CAPS

CATAWBA (0-0 SAC, 3-2)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 17	St. Paul's	W, 80-66
Nov. 20	at Belmont Abbey	L, 54-60
Nov. 25	at Livingstone	W, 101-74
Nov. 27	Lander	L, 68-77
Nov. 29	Barton	W, 59-58
Dec. 2	at Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Dec. 5	Livingstone	2 pm
Dec. 16	at St. Paul's	7 pm
Dec. 18	Mount Olive	2 pm
Dec. 28	vs. Lee (Daytona Beach, FL)	3 pm
Dec. 29	vs. Clarion (Daytona Beach, FL)	5 pm
Jan. 3	Univ. of the Cumberland	2 pm
Jan. 6	WINGATE	6 pm
Jan. 9	at Tusculum	2 pm
Jan. 13	BREVARD	6 pm
Jan. 16	at Mars Hill	2 pm
Jan. 20	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	6 pm
Jan. 23	NEWBERRY	2 pm
Jan. 27	at Carson-Newman	6 pm
Feb. 3	at Wingate	6 pm
Feb. 6	TUSCULUM	2 pm
Feb. 10	at Newberry	6 pm
Feb. 13	MARS HILL	2 pm
Feb. 17	at Lincoln Memorial	6 pm
Feb. 20	LENOIR-RHYNE	2 pm
Feb. 24	CARSON-NEWMAN	6 pm
Feb. 27	at Brevard	2 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

SAC games in ALL CAPS

LENOIR-RHYNE (0-0 SAC, 3-1)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 16	at Georgia College & St.	L, 67-68
Nov. 20	vs. Columbus St. (at Mars Hill, NC)	W, 81-71 (OT)
Nov. 21	vs. UNC Pembroke (at Mars Hill, NC)	W, 80-72
Nov. 24	USC Aiken	W, 59-57
Dec. 2	CATAWBA	6 pm
Dec. 5	Georgia College & St.	5 pm
Dec. 8	at Queens	7:30 pm
Dec. 12	at Pfeiffer	7 pm
Dec. 17	at USC Aiken	6 pm
Dec. 29	vs. Lander (Morrow, Ga.)	3:30 pm
Dec. 30	at Clayton State	5:30 pm
Jan. 2	TUSCULUM	6 pm
Jan. 6	at BREVARD	6 pm
Jan. 9	at NEWBERRY	2 pm
Jan. 13	MARS HILL	6 pm
Jan. 16	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	6 pm
Jan. 23	at Carson-Newman	6 pm
Jan. 27	at WINGATE	6 pm
Jan. 30	at Tusculum	2 pm
Feb. 3	BREVARD	6 pm
Feb. 6	NEWBERRY	6 pm
Feb. 9	CARSON-NEWMAN	6 pm
Feb. 13	at Lincoln Memorial	6 pm
Feb. 20	at Catawba	2 pm
Feb. 24	WINGATE	6 pm
Feb. 27	at Mars Hill	2 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

SAC games in ALL CAPS

LINCOLN MEMORIAL (0-0 SAC, 2-2)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 17	Berea	W, 91-52
Nov. 18	King	L, 58-63
Nov. 24	at Southern Indiana	L, 78-86
Nov. 28	Mount Olive	W, 80-52
Dec. 2	at Urbana	6 pm
Dec. 5	Carson-Newman	6 pm
Dec. 18	vs. Fort Valley St. (Melbourne, FL)	7:30 pm
Dec. 19	at Florida Tech	7:30 pm
Dec. 29	at Georgia College & St.	7 pm
Dec. 30	vs. UNC Pembroke (Milledgeville, GA)	1 pm
Jan. 2	at Wingate	2 pm
Jan. 6	at Tusculum	6 pm
Jan. 9	Brevard	2 pm
Jan. 13	Newberry	6 pm
Jan. 16	at Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Jan. 20	at Catawba	6 pm
Jan. 23	Mars Hill	2 pm
Jan. 27	at King	6 pm
Jan. 30	Wingate	6 pm
Feb. 3	Tusculum	6 pm
Feb. 6	at Brevard	2 pm
Feb. 10	at Mars Hill	6 pm
Feb. 13	Lenoir-Rhyne	6 pm
Feb. 17	Catawba	6 pm
Feb. 20	at Carson-Newman	6 pm
Feb. 24	Urbana	6 pm
Feb. 27	at Newberry	6 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

SAC games in ALL CAPS

MARS HILL (0-0 SAC, 2-3)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 18	at Queens	L, 61-88
Nov. 20	UNC Pembroke	W, 92-82
Nov. 21	Columbus State	L, 76-80
Nov. 24	King	W, 73-54
Nov. 29	at Voorhees	L, 63-67
Dec. 5	at King	6 pm
Dec. 8	Lander	6 pm
Dec. 12	North Georgia	2 pm
Dec. 18	at Florida Tech	5:30 pm
Dec. 19	vs. Fort Valley St. (at Melbourne, FL)	5:30 pm
Dec. 30	at Belmont Abbey	2 pm
Jan. 2	BREVARD	2 pm
Jan. 6	at NEWBERRY	6 pm
Jan. 9	CARSON-NEWMAN	2 pm
Jan. 13	at LENOIR-RHYNE	6 pm
Jan. 16	CATAWBA	2 pm
Jan. 20	WINGATE	6 pm
Jan. 23	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	2 pm
Jan. 27	at TUSCULUM	6 pm
Jan. 30	at BREVARD	2 pm
Feb. 3	NEWBERRY	6 pm
Feb. 6	at CARSON-NEWMAN	6 pm
Feb. 10	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	6 pm
Feb. 13	at CATAWBA	2 pm
Feb. 17	at WINGATE	6 pm
Feb. 24	TUSCULUM	6 pm
Feb. 27	LENOIR-RHYNE	2 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
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March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA

SAC games in ALL CAPS

2009-10 SAC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL RESULTS

NEWBERRY (0-0 SAC, 4-1)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 17	at North Greenville	W, 88-66
Nov. 20	at North Georgia	W, 58-50
Nov. 21	vs. Montevallo (Dahlonega, GA)	L, 79-80
Nov. 25	Armstrong Atlantic St.	W, 64-61
Nov. 28	Morris	W, 96-49
Dec. 1	Vorhees	6 pm
Dec. 4	at WINGATE	6 pm
Dec. 12	at Lander	1:30 pm
Dec. 15	Pfeiffer	2 pm
Dec. 19	Anderson	2 pm
Dec. 22	at Converse	3 pm
Dec. 28	at Davidson	7 pm
Jan. 2	at CARSON-NEWMAN	2 pm
Jan. 6	MARS HILL	6 pm
Jan. 9	LENOIR-RHYNE	2 pm
Jan. 13	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	6 pm
Jan. 20	TUSCULUM	6 pm
Jan. 23	at CATAWBA	2 pm
Jan. 27	BREVARD	6 pm
Jan. 30	CARSON-NEWMAN	2 pm
Feb. 3	at MARS HILL	6 pm
Feb. 6	at LENOIR-RHYNE	6 pm
Feb. 10	CATAWBA	6 pm
Feb. 17	at TUSCULUM	6 pm
Feb. 20	WINGATE	2 pm
Feb. 24	at BREVARD	6 pm
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TUSCULUM (0-0 SAC, 2-1)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov 16	King	W, 88-65
Nov 27	at Columbus State	W, 82-81
Nov 28	vs. Georgia C&S (at Columbus, Ga)	L, 63-78
Dec 5	at BREVARD	2 pm
Dec 8	at West Georgia	5 pm
Dec 12	at District of Columbia	2 pm
Dec. 13	at Shepherd	2 pm
Dec. 18	vs. Francis Marion (at Wingate, NC)	8 pm
Dec 19	vs. Clayton St. (at Wingate, NC)	3:30 pm
Dec. 30	Virginia Intermont	6 pm
Jan 2	at LENOIR-RHYNE	6 pm
Jan 6	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	6 pm
Jan 9	CATAWBA	2 pm
Jan. 12	District of Columbia	6 pm
Jan 16	CARSON-NEWMAN	2 pm
Jan 20	at NEWBERRY	6 pm
Jan 23	at WINGATE	2 pm
Jan 27	MARS HILL	6 pm
Jan 30	LENOIR-RHYNE	2 pm
Feb 3	at LINCOLN MEMORIAL	6 pm
Feb 6	at CATAWBA	2 pm
Feb 10	WINGATE	6 pm
Feb 13	at CARSON-NEWMAN	6 pm
Feb 17	NEWBERRY	6 pm
Feb 20	BREVARD	2 pm
Feb 24	at MARS HILL	6 pm
March 3	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 6	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
March 7	Food Lion SAC Tournament	TBA
SAC games in ALL CAPS		

WINGATE (0-0 SAC, 4-1)

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT
Nov. 15	vs. Queens (at Charlotte, NC)	W, 64-58
Nov. 16	vs. Pfeiffer (at Charlotte, NC)	W, 61-45
Nov. 21	at Johnson C. Smith	L, 60-65 (OT)
Nov. 24	vs. Sacred Heart (P.R.)	W, 96-29
Nov. 27	vs. American (P.R.)	W, 83-53
Nov. 30	at USC Aiken	6 pm
Dec. 4	NEWBERRY	6 pm
Dec. 16	Anderson	6 pm
Dec. 18	Clayton State	5:30 pm
Dec. 19	Francis Marion	1:30 pm
Jan. 2	LINCOLN MEMORIAL	2 pm
Jan. 6	at Catawba	6 pm
Jan. 9	North Greenville	2 pm
Jan. 13	at Carson-Newman	6 pm
Jan. 16	BREVARD	2 pm
Jan. 18	at Charleston Southern	7 pm
Jan. 20	at Mars Hill	6 pm
Jan. 23	TUSCULUM	2 pm
Jan. 27	LENOIR-RHYNE	6 pm
Jan. 30	at Lincoln Memorial	6 pm
Feb. 3	CATAWBA	6 pm
Feb. 10	at Tusculum	6 pm
Feb. 13	at Brevard	2 pm
Feb. 17	MARS HILL	6 pm
Feb. 20	at Newberry	2 pm
Feb. 24	at Lenior-Rhyne	6 pm
Feb. 27	CARSON-NEWMAN	2 pm
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USA TODAY/ESPN/WBCA DIVISION II TOP 25 COACHES' POLL

2009 Preseason Poll

Rank	School	2008-09 Record	Points	Previous
1.	Michigan Technological (12)	27-7	563	8
2.	Franklin Pierce (N.H.) (3)	29-6	552	2
3.	California (Pa.)	29-5	486	4
4.	Delta State (Miss.) (1)	30-7	483	6
5.	Fort Lewis (Colo.) (2)	28-3	478	9
6.	Minnesota St., Mankato (8)	32-2	448	1
7.	Emporia State (Kan.)	26-6	409	17
8.	Alaska - Anchorage	31-4	383	3
9.	Stonehill (Mass.)	22-8	370	22
10.	West Texas A&M	28-6	341	5
11.	Indianapolis (Ind.)	24-10	328	24
12.	Central Oklahoma	23-5	297	12
13.	Clayton State (Ga.)	26-7	292	11
14.	California - San Diego	27-5	287	16
15.	Northern Kentucky	29-3	270	10
16.	Seattle Pacific (Wash.)	23-4	216	7
17.	Holy Family (Pa.)	26-6	189	NR
18.	Washburn (Kan.)	27-5	180	13
19.	Gannon (Pa.)	30-4	170	20
20.	Lenoir-Rhyne (N.C.)	27-5	148	23
21.	Indiana (Pa.)	26-6	143	19
22.	Tampa (Fla.)	26-6	141	NR
23.	Hillsdale (Mich.)	27-4	139	15
24.	Quincy (Ill.)	27-5	120	18
25.	Grand Valley State (Mich.)	20-10	111	NR

Others Receiving Votes: Francis Marion - 110; Valdosta State - 75; Shaw - 63; Drury - 56; Philadelphia - 47; Bentley - 41; **Tusculum - 40**; Fort Valley State - 37; Lander - 36; Ouachita Baptist - 32; District of Columbia - 32; Millersville - 31; Johnson C. Smith - 26; Northwood - 24; Concordia - 22; American International - 21; Augustana - 21; Columbus State - 19; Rollins - 18; West Liberty State - 18; Incarnate Word - 16; Arkansas Tech - 15; Georgia College & State - 14; Arkansas- Monticello - 12; Barton - 10; **Carson-Newman - 7**; New Haven - 7; South Carolina - Aiken 7; Wisconsin - Parkside - 6; Fairmont State - 5; Winona State - 5; Dowling - 4; West Georgia - 4; Pittsburg State - 3; Queens (N.Y.) - 3; Seton Hill - 3; Virginia State - 3; California State Polytechnic - Pomona - 2; Molloy - 2; Nova Southeastern - 2; **Wingate - 2**; Abilene Christian - 1; Bowie State - 1; Lewis - 1; Minnesota St., Moorhead - 1; Saint Mary's - 1.



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